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RE: DIR 48937 (OUT 90913)

- 1. CANDID ANSWER TO FRANK QUESTION WE STILL FEEL WITHDRAWAL MISSION MUCH BEST ACTION.
- 2. ARMY CANNOT SERIOUSLY HOPE FOR HELP FROM ODYOKE DUE TO
 PAST ATTITUDE PLUS WSBURNT MAY DAY ANTI ODYOKE DISPLAY ALSO EVEN
 IF HAVE HOPE MUST KNOW THAT NOTHING UNDER BEST CIRCUMSTANCES COULD
 HAPPEN FOR MONTHS.
- 3. MISSION HAS TO DATE ACCOMPLISHED NOTHING AS TO ANTI-WSBURNT ATTITUDE ODYOKE AND THIS MORE A LONG TERM THAN SHORT TERM EFFORT ALSO SUPPORTS ATTITUDES SUCH AS THAT OF [] THAT ODYOKE SHOULD NOT INTERFERE EVEN THOUGH WSBURNT REGIME UNDESTRABLE. AT THIS STAGE MIGHT PRODUCE ANTI ODYOKE UNITY IN SAME WAY AS FRUIT COMPANY CLAIM.
- It. IF SITUATION DETERIORATES BETTER AT THIS TIME TO HAVE OFFICERS TURN TO INDIGENOUS MOVEMENT THAN TO ODYOKE REPS.
 - 5. MUCH EVIDENCE THAT WSBURNT ARMY NEEDS CONCRETE EVIDENCE

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ACTION SUCH AS WITHDRAWAL MISSION MIGHT GO LONG WAY TO HELP.

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